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Mr. D. T. O'Brien
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Dear Mr. O'Brien:

I am interested to hear of your study of the effects of the threat of litigation and in fact, I would appreciate very much being able to see either a draft or a copy of your finished work. However, I am sorry to say that no copies of my Lowell Lectures on "The Art of Coercion" are currently available. I am at this moment in Paris, on vacation enroute from Vietnam to the United States. When I settle down at The RAND Corporation, 1700 Main Street, Santa Monica, I should be able to locate a manuscript copy of at least one of the lectures, "The Theory and Practice of Blackmail," which may be of interest to you; I shall have a copy made and send it on. However, that will probably not be until August.

I am dictating long distance to my secretary in California from Paris, so I hope you will excuse any roughnesses that may result from my inability to oversee the final product.

Sincerely,

Daniel Ellsberg

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